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**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.312**

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Sir:

Applicant(s) submit this Amendment After Allowance pursuant to 37 CFR §1.312 in response to the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due having a mailing date of July 5, 2007. It is respectfully requested that the above-referenced application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.